"HOUSE OF TEARS"---WITH EMILY STEVENS AND HENRI BERGMAN WILL BE SHOWN TOMORROW AT THE COYLE THEATRE

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IMPROVEMENTS TO BE MADE ABOUT LOCAL FREIGHT YARDS

Evidence of Intentions of Railroad to Pave Shown By Shipments of Blocks

NEW FREIGHT DEPOT SOUGHT

Local People Hopeful That Pennsylvania Will Reconstruct Station, As Well as Improve the Condition of Yards.

Evidence that the Pennsylvania Railroad intends improving extensively the freight yards here has been given within the last few days by the shipping in of paving blocks to be used for paving around the station. However only one car load of the blocks were unloaded, the rest being shipped to Elizabeth. This was due to the desire to have the freight station in itself improved together with the paving.

Local people have been helping and working ever since the reconstruction of the passenger station was considered for the improvement of the freight accommodations. Only a dirt driveway is provided there and during bad weather difficulties are encountered by teamsters and truck drivers in the mud. During the summer time, in dry weather, the dust is annoying.

The Railroad, it is stated, is ready to improve the grounds, but it is not stated that it is in shape for improving the freight house. However plans have been suggested and they will probably merit attention. A better freight building is needed. This is plain and the cost, it is advanced, would be less when provided for in connection with the yard improvements than later after the paving has been done in the yards.

NOTICE TO TEAMSTERS AND THEATRE OWNERS

Licenses are now due for 1916 and must be paid at the borough office before January 16, or legal proceedings taken.

S. L. Woodward, Burgess
C. W. Albright, Chief of Police
175-t3.

The eye is one of the most particular and delicate organs of the body if you think you need glasses you should consult us at once. Examination free. John B. Schafer. 172-tf—*

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TODAY

"The Great Divide." Ethel Clayton and House Peters. Produced in the Grand Canyon of Colorado. In five reels. Good comedies.

TOMORROW

"Inspiration," the talk of Pittsburg. Featuring Audrey Munson the most beautiful art model in the world. In five reels, with "Neal of the Navy," the great American serial. Majestic orchestra.

176-t1

Most of those bad headaches come from astigmatism and eye strain. Let us give you immediate relief with the proper glasses. Examination by graduate optometrist. Free of charge. John B. Schafer. 176-tf—*

TELLS WEIRD STORY OF KILLING MAN; TALE IS PROVEN INCORRECT

Former Monongahela Young Man Gives Himself Up When He Imagines He Has Committed Murder.

When Clymer Ford, a former Monongahela young man, made his appearance in the "only city in Washington county" after a long absence Saturday he told a wierd tale of killing a man on the Mingo road to Ginger Hill. His story was investigated by Constable John Hiscox and like the Charleroi murder story of the last few days immediately collapsed. Ford claimed that he met a man who offered him a drink of liquor. He spurned the intoxicating beverage, he stated, whereupon the unknown attempted to hit him over the head with the quart bottle. In self defense Ford told he struck the man with a stone, felling him to the ground. He then went to Monongahela and gave himself up. No trace of a fight showed where Ford said the affair had occured.

COMMITTEEMEN ARE APPOINTED

North Charleroi Borough Council Completes Its Organization Monday

RECOMMENDATION ACCEPTED

The organization of the North Charleroi council was completed at an adjourned meeting at the council chambers of that borough Monday evening. The committee on committees consisting of Elmer Crabb, James Johns and Tom P. Sloan presented their recommendation of committemen and the recommendation was accepted.

Committees appointed were as follows: Accounts and claims—James Johns, H. L. Pendelberry, John Myers.

Finance—Elmore H. Houston, Tom P. Sloan, Elmer Crabb.

Fire, water and lights—John Myers, Charles E. Miller, H. L. Pendelberry.

Ordinance and printing—T. P.Sloan, Elmore H. Houston, Elmer Crabb.

Police and lockup—Charles Miller. P. E. Franks, Elmore H. Houston.

Real estate—H. L. Pendelberry, James Johns, John Myers.

Street—Elmer Crabb, James Johns, Charles Miller.

C. R. Newcomer's Big Shoe Sale. 176-t1

You should attend to your eyes in time. Delay is costly, we will tell you truthfully whether you need glasses or not. Examination free of charge by graduate optometrist. John B. Shafer. 172-tf—*

BARBED WIRE ORDER COMES FROM FRANCE

Monongahela Valley Plant Said to Have Accepted Order Tentatively—Secrecy Being Maintained By Manufacturers

A Monongahela valley steel manufacturing concern, it is stated, will manufacture the greater part of an order for $1,125,000 worth of barbed wire for France, the order having been accepted Monday after it had gone begging among about 30 firms manufacturing barbed wire in the United States. Just where the wire will be manufactured cannot be ascertained. The Pittsburg district manufacturer cabled his acceptance tentatively, asking an extension of the time limit.

Firms engaged in the manufacture of wire and munitions very generally declined to consider the order on the plea of overcrowded work already. The order from the Paris purchasing agent of the French Republic was for 20,000 tons of barb wire for trench defense purposes. The material is to be paid for in gold at the point of shipment, Philadelphia or New York. The plant tentatively accepting the order has booked more than $3,000,000 worth of orders from the entente powers.

Much secrecy is being maintained by munition and steel manufactories concerning their war orders, due partly to the wave of anarchy which seems to be sweeping the land, resulting in disastrous fires and riots. Every possible effort is being made at every plant and disorder or to prevent any secret agents getting a foothold.

WIDOW OF ADAM JACOBS DIES AT BROWNSVILLE

Woman Who Was Connected With Early Development of Brownsville Community Expires Suddenly at the Ripe Old Age of 99.

Mrs. Ann Snowden Jacobs, who, for a century, lacking six months, has watched the growth of the Brownsvilles, and the head of a family that has been actively associated with their development, died very suddenly at her home in Market street, Brownsville, at noon Monday. She was 99 years of age on August 16, last, having been born in England August 16, 1815. Numbered among the descendants of Mrs. Jacobs are some of the most prominent people in the Brownsvilles and her ancestors and those of her husband, the late Captain Adam Martin Reilley Jacobs, who died December 18, 1883, were among the first families to settle in Brownsville. She is survived by four generations.

Because of her active life in her later years her death came as a great shock to her near relatives and many descendents and life long friends in the Brownsvilles. She is survived by five children, 20 grandchildren, 15 great grandchildren and three great-great grandchildren.

Both the Jacobs and Snowden families were prominently associated with the early development of Brownsville, Captain John Snowden, father of Mrs. Jacobs, came to Brownsville with his wife and two children in 1818. Mrs. Jacobs was then two years of age. Captain Snowdon was a blacksmith by trade and after arriving in Brownsville developed one of the first foundaries and machine shops in the country.

The Jacobs family were associated with early steamboating on the Monongahela river. Adam Jacobs I, came to Brownsville in 1783 from Turtle Creek, near Pittsburg where he had engaged in farming. He was born in Lancaster, Pa., in 1748 but moved to Allegheny county at an early age. Upon his arrival in Brownsville, he

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The longer you wait for glasses the weaker your eyes will become. Get them now and strengthen the eyes and relieve the strain. We test the eyes free. John B. Schafer. 176-tf—*

DISTRICT ATTORNEY AT WORK ON MURDER CASES

County Official Makes Statement of The Plans of the District Attorney's Office—Will Suppress Crime Wherever Possible.

According to a statement of District Attorney Isaac W. Baum, every effort possible will be made through the office of the district attorney for ferreting out recent murders in this county, and to suppress crime in every particular. On the question, District Attorney Baum has the following to say:

"This office intends doing everything possible to bring to justice all murderers and other law breakers upon whom it can lay its hands. I realize that this is a large undertaking, but believe that with the organization I have effected we shall meet with a fair measure of success. The office is being fairly swamped with unsigned communications purporting to be from persons who know of infractions of the law, but who have not the courage to sign their names. All of these letters are consigned to the waste basket, as a matter of course, for this office cannot give heed to suggestions made by people who are not willing to give us their names. If any citizen of the county knows that laws are being broken and believes that he knows the guilty parties and will call our attention to the matter, in a way that will assure his identity, the case will be investigated and prosecutions made, if the evidence discovered would warrant this proceeding.

"I have already notified various clubs and other social organizations whose sole purpose seems to be the dispensing of liquor, that they must desist from this practice at once, or action will be taken against them. I am glad to be able to state that they have promised obedience to the request and I believe that within ten days they will have ceased to handle liquor. Investigations are being made of many persons, men and women, said to be conducting speakeasies and we hope to either have them close up or to be able to support charges against them."

It was learned Monday that the county commissioners have authorized a reward of $200 for the apprehension of the murderer of August Paille at Bulger on January 4.

DIRECTORS RE-ELECTED AT THE CHARLEROI SAVINGS AND TRUST

BETTER FREIGHT RATES ARE DEMANDED IN FAYETTE COUNTY

Campaign to be Started by Producers For Reduction—District Now Ends at Brownsville

Independent coke producers of Fayette county are again to begin the campaign to have the coke region included in what is known as the Pittsburg district regarding the freight shipments. The Pittsburg district zone now enters at Brownsville and shippers beyond this zone are required to pay 15 cents per ton more for freight on coke than if shipped in the Pittsburg district.

This matter probably will be taken up within a short time before the interstate commerce commission at Washington in order to have the differential between the Pittsburg rate and the coke region abolished. The matter was agitated several years ago by the independent operators.

EXPECT KNOX WILL ANNOUNCE

Believed Pittsburger Will Be Candidate For Senator From Pennsylvania

POLITICIANS IN CONFERENCE

According to a telegram from Philadelphia it is regarded as practically certain that Philander C. Knox, former secretary of state, according to developments at the Terrapin Club dinner Saturday night, will shortly announce his candidacy for the United States senatorship. All other aspirants for the Republican nomination have virtually withdrawn from the field and the state leaders are expected to agree on Mr. Knox. Senator Boise Penrose views Mr. Knox as the leading candidate.

While Mr. Knox carefully avoided any reference to the situation in his speech at the dinner, it is a significant fact that while all three of the men who have been prominently mentioned for the place, Mr. Knox, Republican State Chairman, William E. Crow and E. V. Babcock of Pittsburg, attended, Mr. Knox was the only one called upon to speak.

Then, too, the fact that Mr. Knox declined and later accepted an invitation, was held to have a bearing on the matter. Dinners of that kind are often chosen by the leaders as occasions for informally starting a candidacy on its way.

Mr. Knox, so far as the senatorial situation is concerned, was the commanding figure of the evening. Mr. Babcock was, however, the center of much interest. It was evident that he was rapidly making friends. An impression prevails that this is all preliminary to his becoming a candidate for governor to succeed Gov. Martin G. Brumbaugh. Mr. Babcock and Senator Penrose are personal friends, and it is thought they will continue to work in political harmony. Mr. Knox's friends said they anticipated a statement soon from Mr. Babcock, favoring the former for United States senator.

Throughout the dinner there ran a strain of harmony with Mr. Knox seeming to stand for conciliation between the Progressives and the Republicans.

Stockholders of Institution Hold Their Annual Meeting This Morning

REPORTS ARE ENCOURAGING

Business Increasing the Stockholders Hear—Former Governor Tener Presides at Meeting—Newly Elected Board Organizes For Year.

The old board of directors of the Charleroi Savings and Trust company were re-elected by the stockholders at their annual meeting held this morning at the institution. Upon the conclusion of the stockholders' meeting the directors organized for the ensuing year, re-electing the same officers that served last year.

The board of directors unanimously elected consisted of the following: C. A. Chalfant, Nathan Greenberg, E. W. Hastings, D. M. McCloskey, Esq., John H. Moffitt, R. C. Mountser, C. E. Peregrine, Dr. H. J. Repman, Tom P. Sloan, James M. Walton and H. S. Piersol.

Officers re-elected by the board of directors were: President, James M. Walton; first vice president, D. M. McCloskey; second vice president, R. C. Mountser; secretary-treasurer, E. W. Hastings; assistant secretary, S. W. Sharpnack; assistant treasurer, E. J. Charles; individual bookkeper, C. E. Carson; stenographer, Miss Margaret Urash; solicitor, D. M. McCloskey, Esq.

Former Governor John K. Tener presided at the meeting of the stockholders. Reports of the business of the Trust company were gratifying to the stockholders. For the year $10,000 was transferred to the surplus account. The Trust company is on a six per cent dividend basis. Business is increasing rapidly.

This afternoon stockholders of the First National bank are meeting at their banking quarters for election of a board of directors and to hear reports of the business done during the last year.

"THE HOUSE OF TEARS" AT THE COYLE THEATRE TOMORROW

Emily Stevens, who is the sensation of the season on the speaking stage in New York will be seen at the Coyle Theatre tomorrow in "The House of Tears," a most wonderful five part feature produced by the Metro people in which Miss Stevens has been starred and she has repeated her success of her two former screen triumphs. She is supported by an excellent cast in "The House of Tears" which includes Henri Bergman, the well known dramatic artist, Walter Hitchcock, Madge Tyrone and other prominent players.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Bush, Cashier

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DISTURBERS DISAPPOINTED

Again the political disturbers in Pennsylvania are to be disappointed. They have been unable to provide a controversy between Senator Penrose and Gov. Martin G. Brumbaugh. The political plans of the senior senator and the governor have been joined and fit together comfortably.

While it is generally understood that Senator Penrose will head the Pennsylvania delegation to the coming Republican national convention it is also understood that Gov. Brumbaugh will go to the convention as a delegate-at-large if he is willing to accept that honor. It is also believed that should the nominating tide in the convention turn in the direction of Pennsylvania that Senator Penrose will throw his force in favor of the nomination of Gov. Brumbaugh for President.

A Republican harmony dinner was given at the Terrapin club in Philadelphia on Saturday evening. About all the leading Republicans of the state attended and plans were laid for a harmonious delegation to the coming national convention. Plans were completed also for an adjustment of the difference between the members of the Pennsylvania delegation in congress over a member of the congressional campaign committee and it is highly probable that Congressman George S. Graham of Philadelphia, an ardent friend of Senator Penrose, will be given that honor this week when the congressional delegation from this state meets to select their representative.

The Republican party of Pennsylvania is united for Republican success in the coming Presidential campaign. The political disturbers are only snapping at the heels of the successful leaders.

DANGERS OF CROWDED CARS.

The street and railroad cars have not sufficient air space for ventilation to permit of the carrying of more passengers than they can seat, declares State Health Commissioner Samuel G. Dixon in his weekly health chat.

The over-crowding of our passenger transportation vehicles is an important factor in spreading the grip and the so-called colds that have terminated so seriously of late with the old and young.

If we did not stay up so late at night we might breakfast earlier and walk to and from our places of work. Every well man and woman leading a sedentary life should walk five or six miles a day in the open air assuming an erect carriage and swinging the arms freely.

We can go for days without food and water but the moment air is cut off from our lungs we begin to struggle for that life giving element. If it is not restored the person dies in minutes instead of days. From this we may get a true measure of the relative importance of air to life.

To maintain health we must breathe air that has not been robbed of it's oxygen by another person just having used it. We must breathe in air free from poison given off from the bodies of those crowded in poorly ventilated places and particularly must we avoid air that has not been robbed of it's carbonic. pneumonia and other diseases.

When compelled to submit to the evils of crowded civilization during grip and pneumonic seasons it is well to get your doctor to write a prescription for a good disinfection solution to rinse the mouth and throat with several times a day. It has been demonstrated that there are many pneumonia germs in the mouths of those suffering from the grip.

THE JURY

Every reader of this newspaper is a member of a daily jury. Each day the claims of rival manufacturers and merchants are set forth in the advertising.

And the great jury of readers passes on these and gives its verdict by purchasing or leaving alone.

By that verdict the various advertisers must stand or fall.

There is no appeal.

The advertising only succeeds as it is made helpful and appealing to your needs.—Exchange.

One of the most important events of the coming year undoubtedly will be the opening up near Charleroi of a new coal mine affording employment to from 500 to 1,000 men. Its significance cannot be overlooked. Many new families will be brought here, and for the settlement which may naturally be established up Maple creek valley Charleroi will be the feeder. This borough will be on a direct line from the new mine and through Maple Creek valley coal will be shipped. Surely prospects are bright.

There is a place where thy idea of cleanliness ceases to be a virtue. That is when it is detrimental to the peace and happiness of the community, when such a thing is possible. In the news columns there appeared a story of an aged man who fell on ice created by the water from someone's scrub broom freezing. He was rather seriously injured. Cleaning walks in winter time with a scrub broom and a pail of water would seem to possess certain drawbacks. To agile youth a little ice on a sidewalk doesn't mean much, but to the frail and aged disastrous tumbles are hard to avoid and broken bones are not easy to mend.

The borough council at its next meeting will face the consideration of an increase of pay for certain borough officers, acting upon the suggestion of Burgess S. L. Woodward. The problem promises to be a hard one to solve. Some municipalities of similiar pretensions to Charleroi pay less and some pay more than we do, so there is little basis there on which to organize an argument of any nature. The chief thing will be to recognize efficiency. Where there is efficiency of service there should be recognition of service and ability, and council's job, if it proposes to create advances will be to figure out just who are the efficients in borough affairs.

Electric Sparks

Its got so a girl can't be a bride unless she is the most popular, beautiful and accomplished girl in town.

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When a man asks for a kiss, that's the initiative; when she refers him to her mother, that's the referendum.

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Leap Year brings the wonder how many girls will consider it necessary to get on their knees to him.

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Abe Martin says, "Marriage reforms some fellers an' others try it two or three times."

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When a man refers to his opinion as humble, put it down it wouldn't be safe for anyone else to say the same thing.

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Seeing is believing, and as nobody has yet seen the European war and lived to tell it, there is nothing positively believable.

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There were those who said the Kaiser would get it in the neck, but they never predicted his throat malady.

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West Virginians have to feel like sulphur somehow. If they can't anticipate eternity by drinking booze in a dry state, they at least can keep the place in mind by wearing sulphur in their shoes.

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The Whist Clubs.

There cannot be much fun in it; they
just sit there and scowl.
When someone trumps her partner's
ace there is an awful howl.
They sit and nag and scold and scrap
o'er every card that's played.
And criticize each other's clothes, also the way they're made.

They sit and play for hours or more
no love shows in their eyes,
They're fighting for a 10-cent dish,
for that's the big first prize.
Each one slams down her card quite
enough to break her wrist.
There's no love lost, I'll tell you that,
when women folks play whist.

—Roy K. Moulton.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

The holiday traffic was at its height and there were the usual piles of passengers, luggage on the platform of a great terminus. In the usual way the porters were banging it about, while the owners mournfully looked on.

Suddenly the stationmaster appeared, and approaching one of the most vigorous baggage-smashing porters, shouted in stern tones:

"Here, what are you mean by throwing those trunks about like that?"

The passengers pinched themselves to make sure that they were not dreaming, but they returned to earth when the official added:

"Can't you see you're making big dents in the concrete platform?"

A Quaker fell asleep in meeting and soon began to snore. For awhile the nasal notes were soft and smooth and did not disturb the worshippers, but finally the sleeper let out a few extra kinks and the effect was a trifle disconcerting.

"Friend Hezekiah," whispered an acquaintance, digging the other in the ribs, "I think thee had better arouse thy self."

"What did thee say? What did thee say?" cried Hezekiah, somewhat confused. "What is the matter?"

"Nothing, Friend Hezekiah," was the quiet rejoinder of the other, "only thee was snoring a little and I was afraid that outsiders might think the spirit had moved thee to a trombone solo instead of an expression of thy convictions."—Philadelphia Telegraph

COMPROMISE REVOKED IN MONONGAHELA LAND SUITS

Maintained by Court in New Motion in Campbell Claim That Former Plan Was Not Adhered to.

In the matter of the actions brought by Martha J. Campbell formerly of Charleroi and others against a number of Monongahela residents involving title to properties held by them in the Williams plan, in that city upon motion the court Monday handed down a decree revoking the compromise decree made on February 24, 1915. By that decree a non-suit was entered in each of the suits, upon condition that the defendants pay all the costs, whereupon the plaintiffs were to deliver to them quit claims for the properties, whose title was in question. It is set out in the motion made Monday that the plaintiffs have made default in executing and delivering these quit claim deeds. It is understood the plaintiffs have no interest in the matter now, since counsel for them, upon a judgment secured for costs in trying one of the cases, which went against the plaintiffs had the plaintiff's interest sold at sheriff's sale, buying in the same.

ADAMS EXPRESS COMPANY REPORTS ITS BEST MONTH

The best month in the history of the Adams' express office in Charleroi was December, the traffic then just about doubling that of any previous month since the office was established. Receipts approximated $4,500. This was a big increase over the previous December. A heavy Christmas trade was handled. The manager of the Charleroi office is W. S. Schafer.

COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY NAMES OFFICERS

At a well attended meeting of the Washington County Historical society held Monday evening in the public meeting room of the court house at Washington officers for the year 1916 were named as follows: President E. F. Acheson; vice president, Samuel Amspoker; recording secretary, George B. Montgomery; treasurer, J. C. Baird; curator, J. F. McFarland and librarian and corresponding secretary Miss Jane S. Hall. The new board of directors is composed of Mrs. M. B. Montgomery, A. M. Templeton, A. M. Reed and J. V. Clark.

Changed Coal Checks—60 Days.

Andy Domonoks a miner employed at Vesta No. 5 mine entered a plea of guilty Monday to a charge of changing coal checks. He was sentenced to pay the costs and a fine of $25 or in default to undergo imprisonment in the county jail for 60 days.

APOLOGY.

We wish to apoligize to our customers who did not get waited on Saturday and Monday at Newcomers Shoe Sale. We still have the good prices. C. R. Newcomer. 1 76-tf

READ THE MAIL

Bits of Byplay

By Luke McLuke

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Ever Notice It?

Just as a street car, and you'll see
It is not a car at all
But after you have caught it, see
It certainly runs slow.

Huh!

"A scientist is engaged in the task of counting the stars, and he expects to complete the count in about ten years," remarked the old fogy.

"What's the use?" commented the grouch. "As soon as he gets through some mean cuss will come along and demand a recount."

The Printer.

The printer is a sober man,
He never takes a sup,
And yet he is an artisan
Who likes to set 'em up.
—Cincinnati Enquirer.

He's a kindly chap,
The rag he will not chew;
And if you should fall out with him
He will make up with you.
—Macon (Ga.) Telegraph.

He's peaceful as some woodland lake,
He's never known to fight,
But when he's got a good, phat take
He slugs it with delight.
—Boston Advertiser

Poor Old Paw!

Willie—Paw!

Paw—Well, my son, what is it?

Willie—Could you be arrested for passing a counterfeit bill when you see it lying on the pavement?

Paw—You come down in the cellar with me, young man, and I'll pound some of the smartness out of you!

Pants.

Doc Mary Walker is one dame
Who likes to advertise her name.
And it is very plain to see
She pants for notoriety.

Sure!

"What does taking French leave mean?" asked Brown.

"Saying 'Adieu!' I suppose," replied Smith.

Draw.

The great cartoonist, Oswald Blaws,
Went on the stage; but, pshaw!
They canceled all his dates because
They found he couldn't draw.

Yes, if It Will Runenhour.

Will Ridenour of London has a new car. Can he get a place in the taxicab service of the Names Is Names club, Luke?—Wilmington (O.) Journal-Republican.

Wuff!

Said a man, "I would buy a nice comb
In this drug store and take it right homb,
But what good would it do,
For it's only too true
That I haven't a hair on my domb?"

Thanx!

Dear Luke—I am an invalid, and I want to thank you for the many laughs you give me daily. He who scatters the sunshine of laughter along the thorny path of life is greater far than one who sits within the radiance of a great white light that beats upon a throne.—McG.

Contained Everything but an Ice Cream Freezer.

Lost.—In East Fifty-fifth street near Euclid avenue, black leather grip containing lady's pocketbook, pair of trousers and pumpkin pie. Reward. Rosedale 1737 R.—Ad. in Cleveland Leader.

Names Is Names.

John Will Fail lives at Lawrenceville, Ill.

Our Daily Special.

Success isn't in the cards you are dealt; it is in the way you play them.

Luke McLuke Says:

Do not get the idea that a man is a fire eater just because he spouts hot air.

When father has to economize he tells mother to quit buying the articles of food that other members of the family like and he doesn't.

A man is a queer cuss. If his neighbor's wife had been the bride he married and his own wife had been the bride his neighbor married he would imagine that the woman his neighbor married was much superior to the woman he landed.

Somehow or other the man whose luck barely enables him to eke out an existence is the same fellow who always has a horseshoe nailed over his door.

Tell a lie to save a woman and she will always remember you as a gentleman; tell a lie to save a man and he will always remember you as a liar.

It isn't as easy to bull the people as it used to be. The people do not fall for big words nowadays because they know what the big words mean.

If you leave it to a man he will tell you what a light sleeper he is. But if you leave it to his wife she will tell you that the children could bawl all night and he would never hear them.

The trouble with most of the golden opportunities offered you in this life is that the kid who offers them is usually an agent who has everything to gain and only his voice to lose.

Most of us pool less starch in our shirt bosoms and more in our backbones.

An engaged man imagines that it is sentiment that makes his girl tie baby ribbons around his love letters and such things. But it isn't.

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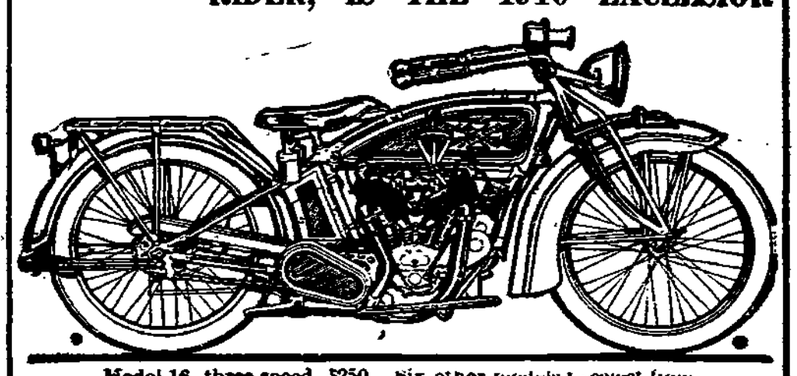

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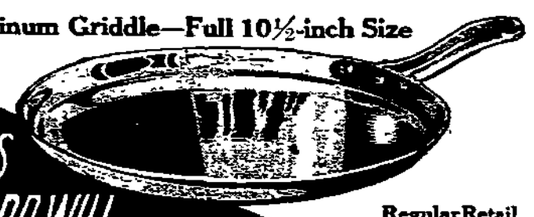

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If you haven't sent for your griddle already, get 50 cents worth of Karo from your grocer today, and send us the labels and 85 cents (P. O. money order or stamps) as quickly as possible so as to be sure of getting yours.

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Mr. Martinran Finds Good Health After Using Wonderful Remedy.

C. Martinran of 42 Graves street, Union City, Pa., after long suffering from ailments of the stomach and the digestive tract, took Mayr's Wonderful Remedy with the most remarkable results.

The suffering of years was ended with the first dose.

Mr. Martinran's experience is told in a letter—written a year after taking the remedy, thus proving the permanent nature of the benefits. He wrote:

"It has been a year since I took your treatment, which I am sure did me a great amount of good. My health at present is good, thanks to your wonderful remedy. I will always recommend it to my friends."

Mayr's Wonderful Remedy gives permanent results for stomach, liver and intestinal ailments. Eat as much and whatever you like. No more distress after eating, pressure of gas in the stomach and around the heart. Get one bottle of your druggist now and try it on an absolute guarantee—if not satisfactory money will be returned.

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PLAY MARBLES WITH BULLETS

But in Spite of Diversion, British Soldiers Will "Get Stale" in the Trenches.

Prof. J. H. Morgan, late home office commissioner with the British expeditionary force, in his "Leaves From a Field Notebook," published in the Nineteenth Century, describes the readiness of our Tommies to play the part of mother's help in the French villages. One of the most engaging sights he saw was a troop of our cavalrymen riding through Armentieres leading a string of remounts, each remount with a laughing child on its back.

"But it may well happen that in spite of babies, and baths, and brass bands, and footballs, and boxing gloves, and playing marbles (the general in command of one of our divisions told me he had seen six Argyll and Sutherland sergeants playing marbles with shrapnel bullets in some support trenches), the men get bored. Men become 'stale' or get on each other's nerves. When a company commander sees signs of this he has one very potent prescription; he prescribes a good stiff route march. It has never been know to fail. Many a time in the winter months when out visiting divisional headquarters did I, in the shameful luxury of my car, come across a battalion slogging along ruddy and cheerful in the mud, and singing with almost reproachful unction, 'Last night I s-s-aw you, I s-saw you, you naughty boy!'"—Montreal Star.

HOW ONE NOVELIST WROTE

Frank Norris Worked Only Three Hours at a Stretch, but Claimed He Worked Every Day.

Frank Norris, the well-known author of "The Pit," "The Octopus" and "Vandover and the Brute," once sent a letter to Ward Macauley, the Detroit book seller, in answer to certain general questions about Norris' writing.

"Don't believe fiction writer should shut himself up in his profession," the letter says in part. "Novels can't be written from the closet or study. You've got to live your stuff. Believe novelists of all people should take interest in contemporary movements, politics, international affairs, the big things in the world.

"I write with great difficulty, but have managed somehow to accomplish forty short stories (all published in fugitive fashion) and five novels within the last three years, and a lot of special unsigned articles. Believe my forte is the novel. Don't like to write, but like having written.

"Hate the effort of driving pen from line to line, work only three hours a day, but work every day. Believe in blunt, crude Anglo-Saxon words. Sometimes spend half an hour trying to get the right combination of one-half dozen words. Never rewrite stuff; do all hard work at first writing, only revise—very lightly—in typewritten copy."

Story of Barbed Wire.

Barbed wire, says the Manchester Guardian, the origin of which Sir Ian Hamilton recently attributed with unhistorical picturesqueness to the devil, was actually the invention of an ingenious lad named Latta. Fifty-four years ago, the boy, then aged ten years, saw on a farm at some distance from his home in New York state a novel kind of fence, with a boarding at the top and another at the base, two strands of thin wire strung between. On his asking the reason for that peculiar arrangement, he was told that it permitted the free passage of the wind and prevented snowdrifts in wintertime.

On the boy's suggestion, his father adopted that sort of fencing on his own farm. Then a neighbor allowed his hogs to roam on the highway, and they found Mr. Latta's pasturage attractive. The thought then occurred to young Latta that small barbs inserted in the wire strands at distances of six inches might discourage them. The hogs did not mind the scratches much, but the owner of them objected, and kept them at home.

The first patent taken out for barbed wire was registered in the harmless name of Smith, in 1867.

Painting With Airbrushes.

Painting and varnishing of large surfaces is now being successfully accomplished by means of airbrushes, which send the liquid paint in a huge spray all over the object.

At a big furniture factory in New York they place a chair upon a revolving platform under a galvanized iron hood, in the back of which is an electric fan drawing the air out into an exhaust flue, and in the top of which are electric lamps in front of reflectors. The painter stands with an object that looks like a pistol in his hand. This is the airbrush, which is attached to a tube leading from a tank in which the paint is under 70 pounds of pressure furnished by a dynamo and is kept constantly stirred. On pressing the trigger the paint is projected like a shower bath all over the chair.

Cow's Disguise Washed Off.

A copious coating of whitewash and ink dye successfully transformed a Jersey cow into a beautiful white and black Holstein, until Louis Nickarian, living near Los Angeles, Cal., who had stolen the animal and was leading it to a slaughterhouse, was overtaken by a shower. Then the colors ran. Caught near the home of the owner of the animal, Nickarian resorted to brutal measures to hide his crime, slashing off the cow's tail and removing the horns. He is under arrest.

NORTH CHARLEROI

Harry Maple and son Harry attended the funeral of Mrs. W. A. Roberts of California Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Geho and daughter Miss Bella of Roscoe were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Geho.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Morris is very ill.

Miss Elva Shafer has returned home after visiting relatives in New Kensington.

Mrs. Hiram Foulks is numbered among the sick.

James Underwood has returned to his home in Detroit, Mich., after visiting at the home of his brother, Thomas Underwood.

Mr. and Mrs. David Shafer have returned home after spending a few days in Pittsburg.

Jonas Gee was a recent business caller in Monongahela.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eyman and baby were Pittsburg callers the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Carson and children spent Sunday with relatives at Elrama.

Mrs. George McCormick and sister Mrs. Mary McAdams have returned to their homes at New Salem after visiting at the home of Mrs. George Kline.

Mrs. George Smith of Stockdale and Mrs. George Young of Monongahela were Sunday guests at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ethan Bruce.

Mrs. Albert Eyman and son, Howard were recent callers in Donora.

Miss Lillian Hayes and Mrs. John Farley are very ill at their homes with pneumonia.

Frank Phillips and Miss Ruth Sutherland, Joe Sutherland and Miss Leroy formed a party to Pittsburg Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Miller of East Millsboro were callers in town Friday.

Mrs. Bert Alexander attended the funeral of Ruth Miller of Monessen, Monday afternoon.

Frank Culler, who is employed in Weirton, W. Va., spent Sunday with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Russel of Monessen were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Alexander.

Mrs. Frank Oesterly is visiting relatives at Beaver Falls. t

Mrs. Sue Jordan and children have moved to Pittsurg.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Underwood a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Peacock entertained a number of boys and girls at their home Monday evening in honor of their daughter Marie's 14th birthday. The evening was spent in games suitable for the evening followed by an elaborate lunch at 10:30.

Miss Rhoda Jones of Donora is visiting her sister here.

BIG COAL CONCERN IS ORGANIZED IN FAYETTE

Hillman-Neff Interests Combine And Will Operate in German Township—Biggest Thing in Coal Developments Since Thompson Failure.

Formation of a new coke company known as the Hillman-Neff Coke company with operations in German township Fayette county was announced Monday. The new concern is a consolidation of the Neff interests in German township and the operations of the Bessemer Coke company and is capitalized at $300,000. The Neff coal, a tract of about 175 acres, which adjoins the Bessemer operations, is to be mined at the old Bessemer No. 2 where there are 200 coke ovens. A new tipple is to be erected on the Monongahela Railroad below Bessemer No. 1, where coal will be mined for market shipment.

The negotiations for the new concern have been in progress for several weeks, but no confirmation would be given out until last night when J. H. Hillman, Jr., president of the new company, stated that work is to be started at once toward making the plant one of the most up-to-date in the Klondike region. No money was paid for the Neff coal, but it was reported that the coal had been turned in at the rate of $2,000 per acre. Mr. Hillman last night denied that this was the price of the coal.

J. H. Hillman, Jr. of Pittsburg, one of the best known coke men in the country is president of the Hillman-Neff Coke company; John C. Neff of the Connellsville Central Coke company of Pittsburg is vice president and J. T. Phelps of Pittsburg secretary.

Fifty thousand dollars is to be expended immediately by the new concern for equipment, Mr. Hillman said. This will include the erection of 30 company houses.

The consolidation of the Neff and Hillman interests is the most important coal transaction in western Pennsylvania since the affairs of J. V. Thompson became involved in litigation. Reports in coal circles are to the effect that there is beginning to be a demand for coal lands in this section and the year gives promise of some important coal sales.

Among those interested in the Neff tract are Dr. G. W. Neff of Manontown; John C. Neff of Pittsburg and Mrs. William G. Sharpnack of Masontown.

MORE DECREASE THAN INCREASE IN GREENE COAL ASSESSMENTS

Returns in Neighboring County Show Reductions Have Been Very General Throughout.

Further returns of Greene county coal assessment show that reductions have generally been made or at least no change in the valuations of the previous triennial assessment. In Cumberland township the valuation was reduced from $130 to $100; in Greene township from $100 to $80; in Richhill township from $35 to $28. In Morgan township the reduction was the same as in Cumberland township, from $130 to $100.

In Jefferson township the assessment remains unchanged at $130; at $30 in Springhill and at $25 in Aleppo township. Clarksville borough reports a $5 increase, from $125 to $130.

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WIDOW OF ADAM JACOBS

(Continued from page one.)

engaged in the mercantile business until 1818. His grandson Adam Jacobs, III, husband of Mrs. Jacobs, who died Monday was born January 7, 1817. He received his early education in the pay schools and when about 16 years of age was apprenticed to learn coppersmithing.

In 1840 Captain Jacobs commenced steamboating. He at first ran on the lower rivers from Pittsburg to St. Louis and the tributaries of the Ohio and Mississippi rivers. In 1845 when Lock No. 4 was completed which made Brownsville the head of navigation, he built the steamer "Lewis McClane" and commanded it until 1847 when he turned his attention to building steamboats.

Mrs. Jacobs was a faithful member of the Christ Episcopal church for many years. The funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. W. E. Rambo, rector of the Christ Episcopal church officiating.

J. B. TUSSING PURCHASES RESIDENCE FROM C. UMBEL

One of the recent sales of property on Washington avenue is that of the home occupied by J. B. Tussing at 334 Washington avenue. Mr. Tussing has purchased the property from Charles C. Umbel. The consideration is reported as $1.

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B & B

shelf-emptying linens

Nothing new or different to hear Linens talked of in January—but it is to hear of them Shelf-Emptied—at prices so decidedly marked down.

Makes no difference whether the saving is 2c on a yard of crash, 25c on a yard of table linen or $10.00 to $25.00 on fine sets—the ratio of reduction is proportionate and worth coming for.

1,100 yards full bleached Irish Table Linen — Chrysanthemum, tulip, pansy, fleur de lis, stripe and spot designs—70 inches wide—nearly two yards, 75c yard.

$1.25 pure linen Table Damask—lilac, pansy, fern, coin spot, carnation, poppy, and many other choice designs—70 inches wide, $1.00 yard.

$1.50 Double Damask Table Linen—rose and ribbon, grape leaf and fern, thistle and stripe designs — 2 yards wide, $1.25 yard.

750 yards Irish Cream Table Linen—large variety choice patterns—60 inches wide, 60c.

600 yards pure linen silver bleached Table Damask—tulip, spot, daisy and other floral designs, 70 inches wide, $1.10.

1,200 yards all linen Scotch Table Damask—rose, stripe, fleur de lis, scroll, shamrock and spot designs, 62 inches wide, 65c.

100 dozen all linen Irish Napkins—maple leaf, tulip, shamrock and spot designs, 22-inch size, $2.25 dozen.

50 dozen $6.00 extra heavy Napkins—peony, pin spot center, poppy, lily, shamrock, stripe and floral spray designs, 24 by 24 inch, $4.50 dozen.

All linen Pattern Table Cloths—rose, stripe, shamrock, and poppy designs—made for 2½ yards long, but measure only 2¼ yards, therefore the low price, $1.75

100 soiled and mussed Pattern Table Cloths—all pure linen—2 by 2 yards, 2 by 2½ yards, 2 by 3 yards, 2 by 3½ yards, 2 by 4 yards, 2¼ by 3 yards, ranging in price from $2.50 to $12.00—to close out the lot quick, $2.00 to $9.50.

$4.50 Pattern Table Cloths—one design only—laurel, circular, satin band, 2¼ by 2¼ yards, $3.50.

$2.25 Hemstitched Table Cloths—all linen, spot and fleur de lis designs—size 62 by 62-inch, $1.85.

1 case 50c Turkish Bath Towels—extra heavy hemmed ends—22 by 53 inches, 35c.

1 case 40c Turkish Bath Towels—extra weight — hemmed ends—unbleached — slightly imperfect—note the large size—24 by 51 inches, 25c.

100 dozen 12½c Huck Towels—full bleached—fancy pink, red and gold borders—hemmed ends, 20 by 36-inch, 10c.

200 dozen all linen Huck Towels—neat damask borders—hemstitched ends — size 18 by 36 inches, 25c.

100 dozen Tea Towels—hemmed and looped — made from soft absorbent crash, 10c each.

1 bale, 3,000 yards, all linen Toweling — red or blue border, 10c yard.

50 pieces 15c all linen heavy weight Roller Toweling—red and blue border — 17 inches wide, 12½c yard.

$2.00 fancy colored imported Terry Cloth for bath robes and combing jackets, 63 inches wide, $1.25 yard.

shelf-emptying — Throughout the store—on every floor—first, second, third, fourth and in the basement—and every price on shelf-emptied goods shows a saving worth coming for.

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The heavy reductions in our Coats and Suits continue to prove a big drawing card. Have you bought yet? Better come in right now and get one of these valuable suits while you can. The coats too are selling---so. if for Lady, Miss or Child, we advise an early buy at big reductions.

Ladies' Suits at---

$7.50, $10.00, $12.50, $15.00

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Less one-fourth

Special selling of coats worth $15.00 to $25.00, each..... **$5.00**

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Treatment Positively Breaks Up the Most Severe Forms of This Disease, Frequently in a Few Hours' Time.

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"The present epidemic proves that the old-fashioned remedies do not cure; therefore, why not try the new?"

—MUNYON.

Lime-Loss in Tuberculosis

In the Journal of the American Medical Association (January 17, 1914) was the following:

"It has been many times stated that in tuberculosis or in the pre-tuberculosis stage an increased amount of calcium (lime) is lost, both in the urine and feces. In fact, a demineralization has been thought to be a forerunner of the development of tuberculosis * * *

"Forced feeding of tuberculosis patients and the enormous amount of eggs and milk once given such patients are not now considered advisable by a large number of physicians who are specializing in the treatment of pulmonary tuberculosis."

If tuberculosis is due to a loss of lime from the system, the success of Eckman's Alterative in the treatment of this disease may be due, in part, to the fact that it contains a lime salt so combined with other valuable ingredients as to be easily assimilated.

Always we have urged users of Eckman's Alterative to attend strictly to matters of food.

In addition to rest and proper diet, some effective remedial agent seems to be needed, and in numerous cases of apparent recovery from tuberculosis and kindred throat and bronchial affections Eckman's Alterative has supplied this need

It does not contain opiates, narcotics or habit-forming drugs, so it is safe to try. Your druggist has it or will order it, or you can get it from us direct.

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Facts About Concrete.

Tests made in the engineering laboratory of the Sheffield scientific school, Yale university, using 1:2:4 concrete mixtures, with varying percentages of water, showed that concrete with 27½ per cent of water was stronger at the end of 30 days than mixtures in which other percentages had been used. These experiments indicate that, contrary to the general belief, there is a definite limit to the amount of water that should be used and that that limit is considerably lower than the percentage used in a large amount of concrete construction.

Must Have Standard Vocabulary.

Two large manufacturing plants at Bayonne, in New Jersey, which employ an army of workmen of many nationalities, require them to master a standard vocabulary of 600 English words. If, when hired, a man does not know the necessary 600 words, his employers give him, at their own expense, enough time off to learn them. The teaching is done in co-operation with the local board of education. A vocabulary of 600 words is not exactly Shakespearean, but a wayfaring man can do a lot with it at a pinch.

ST. JEROME'S LYCEUM GETS LEAD IN LEAGUE

Local Team Captures Game From Fayette City and Jumps Back Into First Place—Score at Close of Contest is 26—24

By winning from Fayette City Monday evening on the Lyceum floor the Charleroi St. Jerome's Lyceum took the lead in the Monongahela Valley league. The score was 26 to 24.

The game was a fast one all the way through and characterized by good team play and good shooting. Messonnier led in the number of field goals for Charleroi, while Barnum was the star scorer for Fayette City. Lineup:

Charleroi Lyceum—26		Fayette C—24
Messonnier	F	Dreyer
Conway	F	Stewart
Schafer	C	Brightwell
H. Motts	G	Barnum

Substitution—J. Larue fr Conway. Field goals—Messonnier 5, Schafer, Conway, Stewart 2, Barnum 3, Roy 2 Foul goals—Messonnier 12 of 25. Barnum 10 of 34. Referee—Stark.

RIDING ON RUNNING BOARD VIOLATION OF REGULATIONS

Henceforth if any man rides on the rear end of a jitney bus or hangs on the running board till he loses his balance and drops, it is an infraction of rules and may subject the offender to arrest and fine. Sunday a man riding to church from Speers on the running board of a jitney bus failed to obey the first law of motion in its entirety, dropping to a hard pavement at Third street and having to be carted to a doctor's office. Following this occurrence Burgess S. L. Woodward decided to enforce a regulation to the effect that running board riding on a jitney bus or taxicab is illegal.

M'DONALD MINER FIRST TO COME UNDER INSURANCE LAW

Estate of William Fenwick Will Receive $1,200 Through Operation of Compensation Act.

William Fenwick, a miner employed by the McDonald Coal Co., at Willow Grove on the Pan Handle, electrocuted in the mine last Friday, is probably the first in the state to come under the new compensation law. In fact his death is the first reported to the ten big insurance companies that went together in the matter of compensation to miners, as provided under the new compensation law.

The Pittsburg Coal Co., takes care of its own employees.

Fenwick's estate will receive the insurance $1,200. He was single, but leaves a father and mother. His home was at Sturgeon. He was killed when his head came in contact with the trolley wire in the mine. His foot was on the rail and received more than 500 volts, so that the entire electric system in the mine was short circuited. Fenwick had been insured less than one week.

EVANGELISTIC SERVICES AT BAPTIST CHURCH THIS WEEK

Every night this week religious evangelistic services are being held at the First Baptist church. Rev. A. J. Whipkey pastor of the First Presbyterian church here preached Monday night. The program for the week calls for sermons by Rev. Arthur Gee and wife of Brownsville Tuesday and Thursday nights. On Wednesday night Rev. H. C. Gleiss, secretary of the Pittsurg Baptist association, will preach. Friday night, Rev. W. S. Carson, pastor of the Monessen Baptist church will be in charge.

NORTH CHARLEROI MAN ASKING FOR DIVORCE

Everett M. Criss of North Charleroi today filed a libel in divorce against Florence Bright Criss. Desertion is alleged. They were married on February 20, 1903. At the time of their marriage he lived in Homestead and she in Huntington, W. Va.

Minnie Thomas of Washington has started a divorce action against Elmer Thomas. Cruel and barbarous treatment is alleged.

C. R. Newcomer's Big Shoe Sale. 176-t1

TRY A CLASSIFIED AD

TENANTS ORDERED FROM M'KEAN AVENUE BUILDING

All tenants have been ordered from a building at 222 McKean avenue and the question of sanitation there is being seriously considered by the Board of Health. At a special meeting Monday evening the board took up the question and reports of investigations were made. Previous action of the health officer ordering tenants from the place was confirmed. Just what will be done with the building is not known. A. R. Mountsier is the owner.

Welfare Circle to Meet.

The Child Welfare Circle will hold a meeting tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. B. Pfleghardt, on Fallowfield avenue. Important matters will come up.

Why Wars Are Fought.

The first wars were fought for food.

The second wars were fought for revenge.

The third wars were fought for women.

The fourth wars were fought for religion.

The fifth wars were fought for conquest.

The sixth wars were fought for aggrandizement.

The seventh wars were fought for liberty.

The eighth wars were fought for all or most of these things save the last.

HOLY GRAIL MERELY LEGEND

Green Crystal Vase Found by Baldwin I in Ruins of Cesarea Is Only So Called.

Few places are more absolutely cities of the past than Cesarea. Some one has spoken of the remains of its ancient glory as the "ruin of ruins." The medieval town which was twice rebuilt by the Crusaders covered scarcely a tenth of the area occupied by the city as St. Paul knew it, and the ruins that we see today are chiefly the relics of the medieval city, which was itself built out of the ruins of the ancient city.

What a rich quarry Cesarea has been for other city builders is shown by the fact that, though it has been drawn upon for all these centuries for marble and granite and sandstone, it is not yet absolutely exhausted, but still affords building material for the peasants of the vicinity.

The green crystal vase which was found here when Baldwin I, the great Crusader, captured the city at the beginning of the twelfth century, says the Christian Herald, gave rise to the story of the Holy Grail, which has inspired so many legends and poems, for Baldwin and his followers believed that it was the one that was used at the Last Supper by our Lord, when he gave his disciples the cup of wine and said: "Drink ye all of it; this do in remembrance of me."

FIND BY-PRODUCT OF VALUE

Chemists Are Now Extracting Wax From the Refuse From Process of Sugar Refining.

More and more of the residues of industrial processes that used to be thrown away are being found to contain some useful substance. In some cases the value of what was originally considered a "by-product" has come to exceed that of the primary product itself. The residues of sugar refining have been discovered to contain a valuable waxy substance in sufficient quantities to warrant its extraction on a commercial scale.

When a section of sugar cane is examined under the microscope it is seen that from the epidermis exude little protuberances, straight or curved and disposed perpendicularly to the surface. These are made of wax, which, with other waxy substances contained in other parts of the plant, passes into the juice in the process of its extraction.

The lime used in almost all refineries carries them away in the refuse of the precipitation process, from which the idea of rescuing them was not long ago broached.

For this purpose the slimy residue is placed in a receptacle, where it undergoes a fermentation which destroys the fatty matters without attacking the wax. The substance is then dried in the sun and afterward in a current of warm air or in a furnace. The dry product is crushed and treated with benzine or carbon disulphid. The wax thus obtained is then refined by being extracted anew with petroleum essence, and then by filtration through clay or animal black. The residue of this extraction may be utilized as a lubricant or treated to obtain the sugar which it still contains.

Cane wax thus obtained is white or pale yellow. It much resembles in appearance Carnauba wax, as also in its hardness and high melting point. The dried slimy residue contains ten to twelve per cent of it—a sufficiently large proportion to justify the industrial treatment of these residues.

JOURNALISTS OF THE BIBLE

Savior Master of Art of Publicity, Is the Assertion Made by Dean of University.

Christ was a master of the art of advertising. John proved himself a great editor and there is no better reporter than Luke, according to Walter Williams, dean of the school of journalism of the University of Missouri, who addressed a Sunday school convention in St. Louis, says a St. Louis (Mo.) dispatch to the New York Herald.

"Even Christ's last words were not for silence, but for Christian publicity," said Mr. Williams. "Whenever a church has kept the good news of the gospel to itself it has died. When it has given this news out it has conquered.

"When Kitchener wanted 1,000,000 men he advertised in the newspapers When the church wants 1,000,000 strong men to aid its cause it rings a bell for five minutes on Sunday.

"Luke, with his vivid phrases, wrote the greatest report in the world—the story of Christ," said Mr. Williams "John proved himself the best editor for he freely used the blue pencil, stating. 'If I wished, I could fill many volumes.'

"Even the devil advertises," said Mr. Williams, "his specialty being white lights."

That Little Matter.

A certain captain of industry, complimented on an immense war contract, said in New York:

"One beauty about these contracts is their strict honesty. There are no palms to grease.

"It wasn't always so in war contracts. In fact, they tell a story about a war contractor who once broke the silence of his club reading room with a dreadful sigh.

"'What's the matter?' a brother contractor asked.

"'Alas, alas!' said the first contractor; 'I've just bought 5,000,000 pairs of shoes at $1 a pair and sold them to the army for $6, and I'm afraid the loss will ruin me.'

"'Loss? Loss?' said the other contractor. 'What are you talking about man? On 5,000,000 pairs of shoes, with a five-dollar profit, how can there be a loss?'

"'My dear fellow,' said the first contractor, sadly, 'you forget the little matter of commissions.'"

On the Job.

Mrs. T. P. O'Connor tells about a sight-seeing tour which she made in a New Orleans auto-bus.

"The car was full of tourists, and the guard shouted with a strong voice through a megaphone. Nothing of his intonings remains in my memory except his reply to a tourist who asked, as we entered one of the beautiful cemeteries, what the four figures kneeling at the corners at the base of a tall marble shaft represented. He answered: 'That monument was erected by Mr. Moriarity, and the four figures represent Faith, Hope and Charity, and Mrs. Moriarty'."

Keeping Vital Statistics.

The officers of the North Carolina state board of health are making vigorous efforts to enforce the recently enacted law requiring the reporting and registration of births and deaths in that state. A special prosecutor has been assigned to the work, prosecuting violations, and already he has brought a number of suits against doctors and undertakers who have failed to comply with the law.

PERSONALS

Mrs. James Aubrey of Youngstown, O., returned home today after visiting with her daughter, Mrs. I. T. Daniel, of Fifth street.

News has been received of the wedding of Miss Barbara Neurohr of Monessen to William Presley of Tarentum. The bride is well known in Charleroi.

Miss Lena Stopp visited over Sunday in New Kensington and Parnassus.

James Bly was in New Kensington over Sunday.

Miss Helen Riddle has gone to Oakmont where she will visit for several weeks with relatives.

David E. Dixon has returned from Lonaconing, Md., where he visited with relatives.

Mrs. Mary Lippy has gone to Wooster, Ohio being called their by the death of a brother-in-law John Fortney.

Miss Mabel Bayard of Rices Landing was an over Sunday visitor with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pierce visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bowers of Second street Monongahela.

Oliver S. Krumm, member of the Nirella orchestra of Pittsburg and a former member of the Carnegie Library orchestra of which Miss Callie E.Bell was a member spent Sunday at the home of the latter at North Charleroi.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends for their expressions of sympathy and the willing assistance rendered during our recent bereavement in the loss of our little son and brother. We are especially grateful to the members of the choir.

R. F. Elliott and Family. 176-t1

ENGAGED IN "REGULAR" FIGHT; IS SENT TO JAIL

Just because he entered a prize fight Saturday at Washington and because the prize fight became a regular fight, with emphasis on "regular" Joe Gray of Washington may have to return to jail to serve out his sentence. He is considered to have broken his parole by participating in the "prize fight." Gray was accused some months ago of a serious offense and later paroled upon his promise of good behavior.

Hospital Auxiliary to Meet.

The Charleroi Ladies' Auxiliary of the Charleroi-Monessen hospital will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 at the Charleroi Savings and Trust company. A full attendance is desired.

EYE SPECIALIST HERE

Dr. Frankenstein, the old reliable optician of Pittsburg, with 30 years practice will visit this town regularly on Wednesday of each week. Testing eyes and fitting glasses a specialty. Good work at reasonable prices and warranted. Eyes examined free. Office at Abe Levinsons Jewelry Store, corner of Sixth and Fallowfield, Charleroi, Pa. Next visit tomorrow, Wednesday, January 12.

CLASSIFIED

WANTED—Woman to do plain sewing. Apply Charleroi-Monessen hospital. 168-tf

FOR SALE—Four roomed house on the edge of town. Bargain if sold within the next two weeks. Inquire at office of John C. McKean. 172-tf

FOR RENT—Unfurnished room. Inquire 627 Fallowfield avenue. 174- 3p

FOR SALE—Sideboard,216 Fallowfield avenue. 175-t3

FOR SALE—Small farm, one seven room house and one four room house, both in good repair, good barn and other out buildings. Two cisterns and well of water on same, one house has furnace under it. Suitable for chicken farm or truck gardening. Located within ten minutes walk of Roscoe. Call or address J. A. Rankin, Roscoe, Pa. 175-t3-p

WANTED—Boy about 16 years of age to learn jewelry trade. Must come well recommended and bring references. Apply Porter's, 502 Fallowfield avenue. 176-tf